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WEATHER REPORT:
Slightly cooler tonight. Wednesday fair; moderate west to northwest winds, variable
High tide 12:50 a. m. and 1:01 p. m.
Sun rose 4:52. Sun sets 6:58.

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LINER CYMRIC TORPEDOED

White Star Steamer Reported to Be Sinking in The Atlantic

CARRIED MUNITIONS

No Passengers Aboard and No Americans Believed to Be Among the Vessel's Crew

Washington, May 9—The State Department was officially advised by American Consul Wesley Frost, at Queenstown, that the White Star Liner Cymric sank at 3 a. m. today off the Irish coast.

Consul Frost stated positively that the Cymric was in the admiralty service. Officials said this gave the German submarine commander legal justification for sinking the vessel, as it had the same status as a warship.

Five members of the crew were killed when the vessel was torpedoed There were no Americans in the crew. No passengers were aboard.

London, May 9—The White Star liner Cymric, torpedoed yesterday afternoon by a German submarine, sank at 3 o'clock this morning while attempting to make her way into an Irish port.

All the 110 officers and crew of the Cymric were saved according to a Lloyd's dispatch from Queenstown.

An earlier message said that several vessels were proceeding to the Cymric's assistance, and it is assumed that the rescue steamers took off the crew.

The Liverpool agent of the White Star telegraphed confirmation of the fact that the Cymric's crew was saved.

The Dutch steamer Grotino sent the following wireless message via the Valentia, Ireland, station.

"Cymric sank 3 this morning. All hands safe."

London, May 9— Lloyd's announced yesterday that the White Star liner Cymric, which sailed from New York April 29, for an English port, was sinking at sea.

The Exchange Telegraph Company understands that the Cymric was torpedoed by a German submarine in the Atlantic.

The White Star Company from reports it has received, believes that the Cymric was torpedoed about noon yesterday.

New York May 9—The Cymric left New York April 29 with a cargo of munitions and war supplies, including 8,900 cases of catridges. She was commanded by Capt. F. F. Beadnell and had a crew of over 100 men. The Cymric carried no passengers.

J. J. MacPherson, British Vice-Counsul here in charge of shipping, said that as far he knew there were no Americans among the crew. The Cymric, he said, arrived here with a crew of 110 men. Twelve deserted and eight were taken on. None of those taken on were American citizens, Mr. MacPherson added. In addition to the crew, five distressed British seamen, who had been ill here, were on the steamer.

The Cymric was for years in the passenger service between New York and English ports. She is a 13,000 ton vessel, 585 feet long and 64 foot beam. She was built in Belfast in 1898.

According to the line's officials the Cymric was in their service, denial being made that she had been taken over by the British Government. The Cymric was not armed, they said. She was due in Liverpool yesterday.

RECEPTION TO PASTOR

The members of the Methodist Protestant Church will tender Rev. E. T. Kirkley their pastor a reception at the church tonight. An interesting program has been arranged and it is expected a good time will be experienced. Rev. Mr. Kirkley was returned to this charge by the Maryland conference which met in Baltimore recently.

HARD SHELL CRABS NOW ON SALE AT RAMMELS CAFE

MORE LEADERS SHOT.

Cries of "Murder" Launched at Premier Asquith in House of Commons.

London, May 9.—Four more Irish leaders have been shot.

Official announcement was made last night of the condemnation by court-martial in Dublin, followed by the immediate execution, of these revolutionary leaders: Cornelius Culbert, J. .J. Heuston, Edmund Kent, and Michael Mallon.

The cry of "Murder! Murder!" was launched at Premier Asquith in the house of commons yesterday afternoon. The speaker was Laurence Ginnell, an Irish member of parliament of the nationalist party.

Even John Redmond, leader of the nationalists, stanchly as he has supported the government, uttered in the house today amid earnest protest against the policy of exterminating the misguided enthusiasts whose effort to establish an Irish republic was frustrated by the military.

KILLED BY FALL OFF ROOF..

Painter Tumbles to Death While at Work in Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia, May 9.—Falling from the roof of a house he was painting yesterday, Harry Cope, 68 years old, of No. 5606 Baynton street, Germantown, suffered injuries which resulted in his death a few hours later in the Germantown Hospital. His skull was fractured and he also was injured internally.

With other painters, Cope was at work on the residence of Edward Miller, No. 5730 Wayne avenue. He was not seen to fall and his fellow-workers did not know of the accident until they found him unconscious on the pavement.

LOVESICK MAN TRIES TO DIE.

Shoots Himself in Head When Girl's Letter Fails to Come.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 9.—Despair at failing to receive a letter from his sweetheart, the police say, prompted Christian Lewis, 29 years old, of Hancock and Diamond strtets, to attempt suicide last night at Mascher street and Susquehanna avenue, by shooting himself in the head. The man was sent to St. Mary's Hospital and is in a critical condition.

The police say Lewis has a sweetheart in the West and daily received a letter from her until a few days ago whon for some unknown reason the missives stopped coming.

GERMANS BID TO IRISH

Signs on Trenches Inviting Them to Join Teutons.

London, May 8.—Immediately after the outbreak of the Irish revolution, German soldiers in trenches opposite the Irish division, fighting on the western front, put up signs inviting Irishmen to join the Germans, according to news received by John E. Redmond, the Irish nationalist leader, from his brother, Capt. William H. K. Redmond, now at the front. One notice read;

"Irishmen in Ireland are in revolution. English guns are firing on your wives and children. Sir Roger Casement persecuted. Throw your arms away. We give you hearty welcome."

Another sign read: "We are Saxons, and if you don't fire, we wont."

The Irishmen replied by playing an Irish air and "Rule Britannia" on mouth organs.

MILITIA TO PATROL BORDER

Washington, May 9—President Wilson today ordered out the militia of Arizona, New Mexico and Texas to patrol the Mexican border.

Two additional regiments of infantry also have been ordered to the border.

NOTICE TO WATER TAKERS

The mains of the Alexandria Water Company will be flushed Tuesday and Wednesday May 10 and 11th. beginning at 6 p. m. House keepers are requested to supply themselves with clear water.

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FRENCH WIN BACK GROUND

Trenches Captured By Germans Retaken by Violent Assaults

DENY BERLIN REPORT

In Winning French Lines at Hill 304 Germans Suffered Tremendous Losses

Paris, May 9—A violent German attack on Hill 304, at 3 o'clock this norning, was completely repulsed, the war office announces.

On the east bank of the Meuse, northeast of Verdun, French counter attacks during the night in the region northwest of Thiaumont, threw the Germans from the few points in the French first line trenches they still held, as the result of Sunday's heavy attack against the French front.

The German attack on Hill 304 followed a night of heavy bombardment. The Germans played shells upon the French defensive positions on the hill until nearly dawn. French curtain fire brought the charge to an immediate halt.

On the east bank of the Meuse the Germans made no attempt at a vigorous offensive, contenting themselves with bombarding violently the Douaumont-Vaux front. The raid by which the French recaptured lost ground was the only important infantry action on this side of the river.

French troops carried a German post near Boland, in the Argonne last night, killing all the occupants.

Berlin, May 9— In the recent fighting on the Verdun front the Germans captured an entire system of trenches on the northern slope of Hill No. 304. the War office announced yesterday.

Paris, May 9—The Official communication issued by the War Office last night reads:

"On the left bank of the Meuse the bombardment continued with the same violence against Avocourt Wood and the whole region of Hill 304. A German attack, launched during the course of the afternoon against our positions at Hill 287, west of Hill 304, was stopped by our curtain of fire and the fire of our machine guns.

"On the right bank and in the Woevre the artiller yaction was quite active. Our batteries effectively cannonaded enemy encampments north west of Euxezin and south of Thiaucourt. The day was comparatively calm on the rest of the front.'

The Belgian official communication reads:

"In the region of Dixmude the Germans twice essayed, Sunday evening and yesterday morning, to renew the intense bombardment which have characterized the last few days. The entry into action of our batteries of all calibres quickly put a stop to these two attempts."

In the French day report the losses of the Germans are described as extremely heavy, the Germans being driven out of a communicating trench east of Hill 304, which they penetrated Sunday.

East of the Meuse there was a series of night engagements. The Germans were driven from a trench south of Haudromont, which they occupied yesterday, and 30 men, including two officers were captured.

London, May 9—Australian and New Zealand troops have arrived in France and have taken over a portion of the front, it was announced in an official statement tonight.

There are about 12,000 men in a division so that according to the German statement the French have employed more than 600,000 men in the battle of Verdun.

It has been generally believed that the number of troops used by the Germans was much in excess of the 300,000 or so indicated in today's official report.

HARD SHELL CRABS NOW ON SALE AT RAMMELS CAFE

LOCAL BREVITIES

The Willard W. C. T. U. will meet at Trinity Methodist Church tomorrow at 3 o'clock.

The Woman's Missionary of the M. E. C. S., will meet tomorrow. Wednesday, 3 p. m.

Eugene Bishop, of Alexandria, yesterday reported to the Washington police that while in that city he lost an open face gold watch.

The fire deartment was summoned to 205 Duke Street about 3 o'clock this afternoon. There was no fire however.

Funeral services for Mrs. Sarah H. Snowden were held this afternoon from her home in Fairfax county and were conducted by the Rev. John L. Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church of this City.

The monthly meeting of Chamber of Commerce was held last night. Resolutions were passed thanking the Potomac and Chesapeake Steamboat Co., for the excursion which was tendered the Chamber several weeks ago.

J. P. Morgan, of New York, whose yacht, The Corsair, has been lying off Alexandria for several days, spent yesterday afternoon at Mt. Vernon, the yacht returned here this morning. It will leave here this evening.

WILSON URGES BRANDEIS

But Senate Committee Fails to Set A Time for a Vote on His Confirmation

Washington, May 9—President Wilson's letter giving his reasons for nominating Louis D. Brandeis for the Supreme Court and urging confirmation was read to the Senate Judiciary Committee yesterday by Chairman Culberson, but no vote was taken as had been expected and no time was fixed for one.

President Wilson characterized the charges against his nomination as "intrinsically incredible to any one who really knows Mr Brandis," and declared they "proceeded for the most part from those who hated Mr. Brandeis because he had refused to be serviceable to them in promotion of their own selfish interests, and from those whom they had prejudiced and misled." The President added that the "propaganda in this matter has been very extraordinary and very distressing to those who love fairness and value the dignity of the great professions"

The President wrote that he believed the reports of the subcommittee which investigated the Brandeis nomination had already made it plain that the charges were unfounded.

FOUND GUILTY BY JURY

Charged With Conspiracy to Destroy Munition Ship Through Bomb Contrivances

New York, May 9—The jury which for ten days heard testimony at the trial of Robert Fay, a former lieutenant in the German army; Walter Scholz and Paul Daeche, charged with conspiracy to destroy munition ships through bomb contrivances, returned a verdict of guilty last night against all of the defendants.

The defendants each are liable to a maximum sentence of twelve years imprisonment and $10,000 fine. The defendants were found guilty on two indictments.

DOG MEAT SOLD FOR FOOD

Residents of French Soil Held By Germans in Great Distress

New York, May 9—Herbert Hoover chairman of the Commission for Relief in Belgium, in a report made public today in New York, states that suffering is very acute in the captured portion of Northern France because of the food shortage, and appeals for more funds. Mr. Hoover recently investigated conditions in Lille, Valenciennes and Roubaix, a territory comprising 1,250,000 people He found the meat shops closed, the soup shops unable to operate because of the shortage.

In Lille, Mr. Hoover, said the death rate had doubled in the last month and showed no signs of decreasing. Prices for food had become prohibitive, he said.

DEVILED & HARD SHELL CRABS AT JACOB BRILL'S FOOT KING ST.

RESIGNATION OF JUDGE KEITH

Governor Appoints Judge F. W. Sims His Successor

SERVED MANY YEARS

Retirement of Fauquier Jurist From Supreme Bench Had Been Contemplated For Some Time

Judge James Keith, president of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, has sent his resignation to Governor Henry Carter Stuart and the same has been accepted.

Governor Stuart yesterday announced the appointment of Judge Frederick Wilmer Sims, of Louisa, to fill the unexpired term of Judge Keith and he will enter on his duties June 10th.

The resignation of Judge Keith was sent to Governor Stuart last Thursday, but the matter was not allowed to become known by any of the parties in interest.

Judge Sims, was communicated with and the facts made known to him and he was asked to accept the unexpired term, having been elected to succeed Judge Keith on the expiration of his term February 1, 1917.

Judge Keith is one of the best known men in the State of Virginia He has been on the bench for forty years, twenty of which have been spent on the bench of the Supreme Court of Appeals, he having been president of the court since his election, following the return of the Democrats, to power after the collapse of the Readjuster regime.

Judge Keith is a native of Fauquier county, and nothing that has appealed to Virginia, to her customs and traditions, to her long record of honor in which Judge Keith has not been a conspicuous figure. Fifty-five years ago when the State called for troops he was among the first to quit his law practice and to offer his service in defense of the Old Dominion. His war record is a matter of history, serving to the end of that struggle with heroism which made Virginians famous.

After the war, with his fortune swept away, he returned to his home and began the practice of his profession. He was soon elevated to the bench, and since that time, more than forty years, he has been on the bench. While Judge of the Circuit Court, Judge Keith presided over that tribunal in Alexandria, where he was a familiar figure for years.

Judge Keith last fall announced that he would not be a candidate for re-election before the General Assembly, preferring to retire from the bench because of his age. He is a very active man, however, but prefers to retire to his private home and to be rid of the hard work which is entailed by service on the bench.

In the election to choose a successor Judge Frederick Wilmer Sims, of Louisa, was named from a large number of aspirants, the term to begin February 1, 1917.

When the resignation reached Governor Stuart he determined to name Judge Sims for the vacancy, seeing that he was the choice of the Legislature, and was asked to accept the appointment and to assume his duties the day on which Judge Keith retires.

JEALOUSY CAUSES MURDER.

Minor Ellinger, of Crimora, Augusta county, was shot on Sunday night and probably fatally wounded at Le Grange, a small station on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, three miles west of Staunton, Joseph Andrews, of Augusta county, was arrested yesterday afternoon, charged with the shooting. Ellinger made a statement accusing Andrews. The men were riding blind-baggage on a freight out of Staunton and the train had stopped at La Grange, when the shooting occurred, Both men have been attentive to Miss Edna Didrick, and jealousy on the part of Andrews caused the shooting, according to Ellinger. A pistol was found on Andrews.

DISCUSSING PEACE

Germany Looking to President Wilson to Take Definite Step

Berlin, May 9—Direct word from Washington that President Wilson will accept Germany's submarine concessions has caused the greatest satisfaction here. The public now believes the issue definitely closed.

The newspapers are now discussing the possibility that President Wilson may prove acceptable to Germany as a peace mediator when the time comes to end the world war. Certain of the papers, commenting guardedly, point out that the peace reference in Germany's reply affords the American executive an opportunity to make a definite move for peace.

"The German note contains one passage which we consider of the utmost importance" said the Vorwaerts "namely, the reference to the fact that Germany has twice within recent months declared its readiness for a peace which would secure its vital interests.

"In conservative papers in the last few days the opinion has been expressed that behind the action of the American government there was hidden an intention to step forward as a peace mediator. Perhaps this passage in the German note will give Mr. Wilson an occasion to make public the terms of peace which he believes possible."

"President Wilson can perhaps do more than merely maintain peace between Germany and the United States," said the National Liberal Gazette.. "'Fate has thrown much unheard-of power in this man's lap that he could do still other things for bleeding, suffering humanity. Our answer shows him the way."

The tone of the German press veered more strongly toward peace yesterday than at any time since the war started. The Tagliche Rundschau one of the papers which has opposed concessions to America, also pointed out yesterday President Wilson's opportunities to assume the role of mediator.

Rotterdam, May 9— Pope Benedict XV has again been approached by the Kaiser with reference to peace, according to the German Humanity League.

London, May 9—Prince Bernhard von Buelow, the former imperial German chancellor, last night looms large on the political horizon of Europe.

The only man living who has ever dared to extort from his imperial master a pledge of greater discretion in the discussion and conduct of the German empire's affair, is now speeding in a special train toward the great general army headquarters in the field, in response to a hurry call from Kaiser, who had bidden him, it is reported, to a personal interview "of extreme importance."

One theory advanced in well informed circles here with reference to the possible purpose of the conference the possible purpose of the conference between the Kaiser and the prince was that he is to be sent to the United States on a special mission from the Kaiser to President Wilson.

In connection with the last theory, it is also suggested that the prince may go to Washington as German Ambassador to the United States .

ACCEPTS DECLARATION.

Wilson Wants Germany to Execute Better Submarine Policy.

Washington, May 9.—A note cabled by Secretary Lansing to Ambasador Gerard yesterday for delivery to the Berlin foreign office informs the German government that the United States accepts the "declaration of its abandonment" of its former submarine policy and now relies upon a scrupulous execution of the altered policy to remove the principal danger of an interruption of the good relations existing between the two countries.

With this acceptance is coupled formal notice to Germany that the United States cannot for a moment entertain, much less discuss, a suggestion that respect by German naval authorities for the rights of citizens of the United States on the high seas should in the slightest degree be made contingent upon the conduct of any other government affecting the rights of neutrals and noncombatants.

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POLITICAL SLATE OF OLD DOMINION

Democrats Who Stand as Candidates For Senate and House

THIS YEAR'S OUTLOOK

Holland is Opposed in the Second District—Saunders and Flood May Have Trouble

The following is the outlook for the congressional contests in the Democratic party in Virginia this year.

United States Senate—Claude Augustus Swanson, of Pittsylvania.

First District—William A. Jones, of Richmond county.

Second District— J. E. Cole, of Norfolk; E. E. Holland, of Suffolk, and H. L. Maynard, of Portsmouth.

Third District— Andrew Jackson Montague, of Richmond.

Fourth District—Walter A. Watson, of Nottoway.

Fifth District—Judge E. W. Saunders, of Franklin, with Dr. E. T. A. Kent, of Fairfax, as a possibility.

Sixth District— Carter Glass, of Lynchburg.

Seventh District—James Hay, of Madison.

Eighth District—Charles C. Carlin, of Alexandria.

Ninth District—E. Lee Trinkle, of Wythe, is expected to offer.

Tenth District—Hal D. Flood, of Appomattox, with Senator Aubrey E. Strode, of Amherst, as a possibility

So far only one man, Congressman Holland, has avowed opposition and he is opposed by two—Messrs. Cole and Maynard. Mr. Cole is understood to be the "reform" candidate for that district.

In the case of Dr. Kent, a member of the Virginia House, he has not yet determined to make the race. He first appeared on the congressional horizon last winter when Congressman Saunders was found to be out of plumb with the policy of the administration in some matters, and he began to sound out the people as to his own candidacy to oppose Congressman Saunders. Dr. Kent is from Halifax county, and is a physician.

In the Tenth District there is much speculation at to what Senator Strode will really do. He was patron of the first Statewide prohibition bill presented in the Virginia Legislature.

The Democrats in the Ninth will make another effort to wrest that district from the Republicans. They have been at it for years, and on several occasions they have cut down the lead of Congressman Slemp, but so far they have not been able to capture this stronghold of the Republicans.

FARMER SHOT IN BACK

Killed While Driving Wagon Through Mountains—Posse Searching For Murderers

Maybeaury, W. Va., May 9—Will Bowman, a farmer, forty years old, was shot and killed yesterday morning while driving a produce wagon through the mountains near here. A bullet was fired through the man's back and lodged in his neck. A thirteen-year-old son, who accompanied his father, says he was attacked by two negroes about 5 o'clock. The boy says he was lying half-hidden in the bottom of the wagon, and after the fatal shot was fired he made a noise and the negroes ran away.

SLAIN FOR REFUSING A CHEW.

Tramp is Promptly Stabbed to Death by a Companion.

Mahanoy City, Pa., May 9.—Maddened when refused a chew of tobacco, John Homany, a tramp, attacked a companion known as "John" with a potato knife here yesterday, and stabbed him to death. The killing occurred in a shanty overlooking the city dump ground. The alleged murderer, who is nearly 60 years old, was arrested and is in jail.

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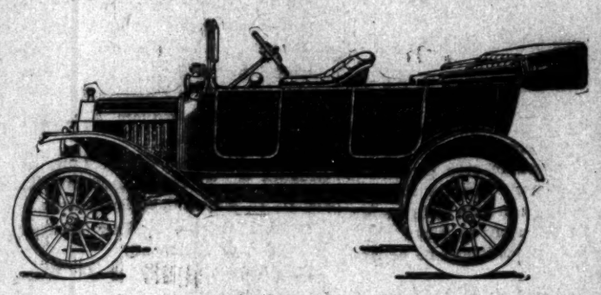

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

State Council Convenes This Morning In Elks' Auditorium in This City

The sixteenth annual convention of the State Council of Knights of Columbus convened this morning at 11 o'clock in the Elks' Auditorium with delegates present from the councils at Richmond, Portsmouth, Norfolk, Newport News, Staunton, Roanoke, Lynchburg, Petersburg and Alexandria. State Deputy M. Kivlinghan, of Staunton, made an address of welcome. Brief responses were made by James A. Flaherty, supreme knight, of Philadelphia and D. J. Callahan, supreme treasurer of Washington.

Previous to the assembling of the convention the delegates attended mass at St. Mary's Catholic Church at which the Rev. James Gilsenan, state chaplain of Roanoke, was the celebrant. The Rev. Louis Smet, pastor of St. Mary's church this city, preached a sermon to the members.

The convention this afternoon sent a telegram to President Wilson extending to him their sympathy and loyalty in the grave European crisis.

A telegram was also sent to Bishop O'Connell of the diocese of Richmond, The telegram was signed "C. N. Noel, state secretary." The election of officers was deferred until tomorrow morning.

At three o'clock this afternoon the delegates left for Mt. Vernon where they will place a wreath on the tomb of Washington. Dinner will be served at Mt. Vernon.

There will be a ball given in their honor at the Elks' Auditorium tonight at 9 o'clock which will be attended by the visiting delegates and the members of Fitzgerald Council, Knights of Columbus, of this city.

The program tomorrow will consist of business session in the morning and afternoon, an automobile trip to Arlington and Ft. Myer and a smoker tomorrow night.

The following committee of Fitzgerald Council has charge of the local arrangements: Thomas E. Dyson, chairman, James Callan, C. Raymond Hellmuth, Frank Fannon, James A. Gilroy, J. J. Bayne, Thomas Priest, T. J. McFarland, M. E. Greene, C. M. Lennon, R. E. Power, W. H. P. Kelly and F. T. Quinn.

The following state officers and delegates are present: M. Kivlighan, state deputy, Staunton, Va.; C. W. Noel, state secretary, Roanoke; J. Harry Bailey, state treasurer, Petersburg, Va.; James E. Phillips, state warden, Richmond, Va.; Thomas E. Dyson, state advocate, Alexandria.; Rev. Father James Gilsenan, state chaplain, Roanoke, Va.; James L. Martin, past state deputy, Lynchburg, Va.; Thomas A. Murphy, and John J. Blake, delegates and William F. Enright and C. M. Dozier, alternates of Richmond Council, No. 295; F. J. Doherty and C. R. Ryan, delegates and John H. Driscoll and T. W. Spillman, alternates of Holy Cross Council, No. 595; M. E. Greene and C. T. Hellmuth, delegates and James B. Martin and C. E. Cergan, alternates, of Fitzgerald Council, No. 459; Joel T. Brown and Thomas J. O'Farrell, delegates and James M. Gallagher and Dr. J. M. Burke, alternates of Petersburg Council, No. 604; M. T. Bergin, and Daniel Crimmins, delegates and S. J. Collins and John W. Croghan, alternates, of St. Francis Council, No. 670; C. C. Mitchell and George Eakin, delegates and William H. Healy and George W. Carvill, alternates of Newport News Council, No. 511; A. B. Degges and George E. Holmes, delegates and D. L.. Kelly and H. Johnson, alternates, of Norfolk Council, No. 367; C. A. McHugh and J. J. Sheehan, delegates and J. J. McCaffrey and C. A. Shank, alternates of Roanoke Council, No. 562; J. F. Slifer and J. T. Johnson, delegates and R. J. Davis, and F. H. Bilisely, alternates of St. Paul's Council, No. 418.

GRAND JUNIOR WARDEN

W. L. Martin, of Alexandria, Honored by Grand Encampment at Lynchburg

The Grand Encampment, Virginia Odd Fellows, in session in Lynchburg yesterday elected the following officers:

Grand patriarch, J. T. Haines, Richmond.

Grand high priest, Charles D. Fox, Roanoke.

Grand senior warden, H. E. McCoy, Norfolk.

Grand scribe, E. M. Bunch, Lynchburg.

Grand treasurer, George W. Hill, Norfolk.

Grand junior warden, W. L. Martin, Alexandria.

Grand representative for two years, John H. Seaborn, Roanoke.

The council refused to shorten the term of the representative to the Sovereign Grand Lodge from two years to one year.

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

Organization Meets This Morning and Elects Officers

The Ministerial Association of Alexandria held a meeting this morning when the following officers were elected:

Rev. Dr. J. W. Duffey, president
Rev. W. J. Morton, vice president.
Rev. E. T. Kirkley, secretary and treasurer.

The association will this afternoon at 5 o'clock meet a committee of the layman's of the city for the purpose of conferring with them in regard to the proposed evangelistic campaign in the fall.

ROBBERY NEAR SEMINARY

J. R. Howard, who lives at the Seminary, Fairfax county, has reported to the police that his barn was entered early yesterday morning and a rubber tired buggy and pieces of harness valued at $100 were stolen. The thieves entered the barn, pulled the buggy for some distance down the road and hitched it to a horse which had been brought for the purpose.

A SYMBOL OF HEALTH

The Pythagorians of Ancient Greece ate simple food, practiced temperance and purity. As a badge they used the five pointed star which they regarded as a symbol of health. A red five pointed star appears on each package of Chamberlain's Tablets, and still fulfils its ancient mission as a symbol of health. If you are troubled with indigestion, biliousness or constipation, get a package of these tablets from your druggist. You will be surprised at the quick relief which they afford. Obtainable everywhere.

LECTURE ON TOLSTOI

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From 4 to 6 o'clock. Lecture at 4 o'clock, then Russian Tea.

Admission ..... 25 cents

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings In Society.

The sock party given by the Lady Maccabees at the home of Mrs. Harnan last night was largely attended, about 35 ladies were present. Games were played and at the close of the evening refreshments were served.

The dancing class which has been conducted every Wednesday afternoon at the Elks' Hall, during the past season under the direction of Misses Christina Kemper and Katherine Waller will close with a fancy dress ball in the Elks' Auditorium on Friday evening, May 12. A number of special dances have been arranged and the following program will be presented.

No. 1, Colonial Dance, Ellen Ticer, Louis Bell; Genevieve Shepperson, Richard Kemper; Virginia Wilkins, Chas Shepperson; Eleanor Schwarzmann, Charles Bell.

No. 2, Exhibition Hesitation, Gladys Aitcheson, McKnew Aitcheson.

No. 3,, Highland Fling, Louise Finke, Jeanette Cochran.

No. 4, Fox Trot, Margaret Armstrong, Expedit Brill.

No. 5, Toe Dance, Gladys Rodgers.

No. 6, Flirtation, Margaret Ogden, Richard Kemper.

No. 7, One Step, Virginia Richardson, Robert Armstrong.

No. 8, Gavotte, Louise Carlin, Dymoke Gasson, Cecilia Murphy, Aubrey Lynch, Reba O'Neil, Donnelly Brill.

No. 9. L'Argentine Tango, Regina Jorman, Albert Smoot.

No. 10, Scarf Dance, Cora Pulman, Ruth LeHew, Irva Kemper, Alle Belle Jones, Willie Fairfax, Marion Blunt, Gretta Ludwig, Geraldine Davis, Sarah Eddington, Mildred Crockett, Margaret Linn, Eleanor Nalls, Elizabeth Howell, Mary Kelly, May Brock, Grace Martin, Louise Adams, Page Buddin, Frances Schuler, Dorothy Hayes.

No. 12, Schottishe, Class ensemble,

During the evening a number of German figures will be led by various members of the class.

Admission will be by card only.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT

In the circuit court today before Judge J. B. T. Thornton the suit of Charles E. Kell against William H. F. Finke was commenced. Mr. Kell sued Mr. Finke for $2,500 for damages alleged to have been caused by the erection by the latter of a house at the corner of Queen and Washington streets. Attorney Howard W. Smith appeared for the plaintiff and Attorney John M. Johnson for the defendant.

The jury returned a verdict in favor of the defendant.

The following composed the jury: Thomas M. Dunbar, F. W. Deeteon, Julius Wolf, Hugo Herfurth, J. B. Carter, Frank C. Pullen and Herbert J. Rose.

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We place on sale Wednesday morning a number of Ladies' Tailor Made Suits at greatly reduced prices. Alterations will be made in our work rooms at small cost.

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RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE WAR

As the Philadelphia Record suggests, the party to a war cannot carry on hostilities till it has secured what it desires, and then shift the responsibility for the further effusion of blood by announcing that it is willing to stop. One belligerent or group of belligerents cannot transfer responsibility to the other. If the allies forced this war, as the Germans say, they are not only responsible for the continuance of the war, but they are responsible for the 21 months of war there has already been. If the war was precipitated by Austria's attack on Servia and Germanys attack on Russia, France and Belgium, then the responsibility is on the Central Powers, not only for the war so far, but for its continuance.

The war has created certain conditions which are in extraordinary contrast with those of two years ago. The allies are assuredly not obliged to choose between accepting these conditions as permanent and assuming the moral responsibility for the prolongation of the war. The responsibility is precisely where it has been all along. If the Germans are right they are not responsible for any of the war. It was forced upon them. If the allies are right, the Germans and Austrians are responsible for all the war there has been and for all the war there shall be. The war is a unity, and the responsibility for the whole of it rests, and will always rest upon the party that broke the world's peace.

Whether the reference to Germany's willingness to stop the war where it stands, in the recent note to our Government, is an overture for mediation by the United States we do not undertake to say. The United States would be very glad to take part in restoring peace. But within the life of thousands of men now living the United States was engaged in a life and death struggle and European nations were anxious, for commercial reasons as well as for considerations of humanity, to bring about a peace. But the United States declared that the reason for beginning the war continued and would continue until the ends aimed at were attained. We do not apprehend that any efforts by us to end this war on terms satisfactory to Germany would meet with any success in London, Paris, Petrograd or Rome. Peace made now, on terms satisfactory to Germany would be a confession of defeat by the allies. They do not seem to be in any mood to confess defeat. Their view of the situation is that Germany keeping itself for a generation ready to fight at the drop of the hat, naturally secured the early advantages, but they are perfectly capable, in time, of reversing the situation.

If they decide to continue the war in confident expectation of being able to dictate the terms of peace, they are not responsible for its continuance. The responsibility for this war cannot be determined in May, 1916. It was fixed for all time in July, 1914.

DROWNING OF A FANATIC.

"I will walk on the waters," Dan Pakovich shouted yesterday, and strode to the bank of Wolf Lake, Indiana, near Robertsdale. He started into the lake with a walking stick and, singing. He plunged steadily ahead, the water reaching his knees and finally almost to his shoulders.

Wolf Lake is a little over a mile wide. The water in it is very shallow, however, and Pakovich, still chanting a hymn, had gone more than a mile and was within 150 feet of the farther bank when he threw up his arms and sank into a deep hole. Watchers turned in an alarm and the body was recovered.

In the dead man's pockets were found bankbooks showing he had $4,100 on deposit in Chicago and Whiting banks. He was a religious fanatic.

Half a century ago a good but deluded man in Alexandria, after having spent his last cent, became convinced that he would be fed as was Elijah the Tishbite — by ravens. When he began to feel the pangs of hunger, he repaired to an adjoining cemetery where he awaited the feathery messengers. Buzzards and crows flew over him, but none alighted, and his friends hearing of his freak went to the grave yard and induced him to return to his home, where he was supplied with his immediate needs.

Attempts to walk upon water as did the Man of Galilee have been made at times by individuals in different countries. English miscellany contains many such incidents. In most cases the enthusiasts have escaped drowning, however.

DENIES U-BOAT CHASE STORY

The report that the Fabre Line steamship Venezia was attacked and chased by two German commerce raiders and submarines in midsea on May 1, is denied by Captain Boniface the shipmaster, in making his report to the Fabre Line office in New York and to Captain Gaunt, British naval attache.

Captain Boniface says:

"Neither of the steamers attempted to chase me, although I altered my course, as I was suspicious of the vessels and several flashes of gunfire, which, however, was at a target not visible to me or my officers. I saw no submarines and was not pursued."

The story told by excited passengers to the effect that the Venezia had been chased by German submarines and that the latter were within striking distance of the United States caused considerable excitement among alarmists in this country.

ADMITS OF NO EVASION

(Baltimore American)

President Wilson has taken the appropriate, and indeed, from the point of view of diplomatic expediency, the necessary course of sending to Berlin a brief note of satisfaction over the abandonment by Germany of its former submarine policy as announced in its note of February, 4, 1915. He seeks to confirm this abandonment by a definite statement in behalf of this country of exactly what he understands that abandonment to imply. It does not involve, in the view of the United States, the conditions Germany's perservance in its concessions, upon the outcome of any diplomatic interchanges that this country may undertake with England concerning alleged violations of its neutrality rights as involved in its embargo policy.

The words of the American President are clear and will admit of no evasions or misconstruction in the future:

The United States feels it necessary to state that it takes it for granted that the Imperial German Government does not intend to imply that the maintenance of its newly announced policy is in any way contingent upon the course or result of diplomatic negotiations between the government of the United States and any other belligerent government, notwithstanding the fact that certain passage in the Imperial government's note of the fourth instant might appear to be susceptible of that construction.

The President can not and will not depart from the consistent policy of this country to keep absolutely separate its issues with England from its settlements with Germany. Mr. Wilson is mindful of how the use of the word "liner" in one or two notes was seized upon by Germany to support a policy of attack upon ships of commerce that are not denominated liners. He has made sure that Germany shall not build upon its tissue of assumptions contained in its recent note, and make claims against this country for failing to measure up in the future to the things therein assumed that it will undertake to do.

JUDGE KEITH'S RETIREMENT

(Richmond Times-Dispatch)

Judge Keith's retirement from the bench of the Supreme Court of Appeals, anticipating by nearly ten months the conclusion of his term, will cause regret throughout Virginia. It was known, of course, the State was to lose the services of this distinguished jurist, for he announced months ago that he would not be a candidate for re-election, and Judge Frederick W. Sims, of Louisa, had been chosen by the General Assembly to succeed him, but it had been expected that he would serve out his term.

However, Judge Keith is entitled to a rest. He has given the greater part of his life to Virginia, serving gallantly as a soldier of the Confederacy and with great learning and ability as a judge. For a score of years he has been president of the Supreme Court of Appeals, and many of the decisions that have given that tribunal high rank wear the impress of his fine scholarship and judicial mind.

The affectionate regard of his fellow-citizens will follow him into retirement.

NEWS OF THE DAY

The Chinese revolutionists have organized a southern republic in Canton.

Efforts to bridge the gap that exists between the House and Senate on the subject of military preparedness failed in the Lower Chamber yesterday. The House rejected the provision in the Senate bill for a standing army of 250,000 men by a vote of 221 to 142.

The Senate passed yesterday without a record vote the Bankhead Good Roads bill to spend $85,000,000 in construction of post roads, contingent on an equal expenditure by the States Appropriation for $10,000,000 for roads in national forests is included.

Edward Smith, angered because she would not permit him use of the money she inherited from her father's estate, shot and killed his wife, Helen, yesterday at their home in Attica Ind., After the murder Smith shot himself in the breast, but failed to inflict a fatal wound, He then ran into the barn and hanged himself.

A. T. Peers, a farmer near Marietta, Fla., was shot and killed by his 9-year old daughter Sunday night after he had threatened his wife with a pistol. When Peers pointed a pistol at his wife, the child ran to the barnyard, got another pistol from her father's buggy, and shot him, the bullet entering his heart and causing instant death.

Striking employes of the international Harvester Company at Chicago estimated that 1,000 to 1,500 of the 11,000 workers on a strike returned to work yesterday at the McComick plant. Officials of the company predicted Saturday that 5,000 men would resume work, Pickets to the number of several thousand patrolled the streets leading to the plant, and there was a strong police guard on duty.

The trial of Charles C. Glover, president, and William J. Flather, vice president of the Riggs National Bank, of Washington, and Henry H. Flather, former cashier of the bank, on a charge of perjury, growing out of the injunction suit of the bank against Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo and Comptroller of the Currency Williams, was begun in the Criminal Court yesterday, and when adjournment was taken 11 men had been selected as jurymen.

Wooden shoes are becoming the vogue with school children in Germany and their use is being actively and practically encouraged by school authorities. The reason, of course, is the scarcity and unprecedented expensiveness of leather shoes, which gradually have caused people to forget the old-time dislike of and stigma attaching to wooden shoes. Hundreds of school children in the past few weeks have taken either to leather shoes with wooden soles or to the old all wooden "sabine."

Three persons were drowned and four others were rescued with great difficulty Sunday afternoon, when a rowboat in which they were attempting to cross the Passaic River, at Singac, N. J. capsized. One lost his life in an attempt to save the life of another, who finally got ashore, The dead, all of whom live in Paterson, are: Louis Echardt, 19 years old; John Herman, 30 years old, and an unidentified youth known only as Peter.

Hundreds of women in the Jewish quarters of Pittsburgh, Pa., yesterday declared a boycott on bakeries and stationed pickets at many shops because of an advance in the price of bread, made known when they made their early purchases. Master bakers declared the advance was due to a new scale, enforced by union bakers and providing for a seven-and-one-half hour day during the week and six-hours on Sunday.The master bakers called a meeting last night with the union officers in the hope of securing a modification of the scale.

Joseph Mano, aged 34, of South Williamsport, Pa., died in the hospital Sunday night from a self-inflicted wound, after an attack on his wife, who may also die. The Manos quarreled over a household affair, and the man grabbed a razor from a table and attacked his wife, cutting a gash in her throat. He then slashed his own throat and cut a deep gash on the side of his face. Neighbors, attracted by the screams of the woman, rushed into the house and found both of the Manos lying in pools of blood on the floor. They were rushed to the City Hospital in an ambulance, where Mano died in a few hours. His wife is in a precarious condition.

ATTENTION MEMBERS SEMINOLE TRIBE NO. 35, I. O. R. M.

Take notice that the regular Council meeting on Thursday, sleep, May 11, is called for "seven o'clock", account class adoption of Pale faces.

By order of
W. B. Glascock, Sachem — D. W. Stanton, Chief of Records

At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria ,held at the Courthouse of said City on Monday, May 8th, 1916.

Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley Judge.

Annie M. Lyons, vs. Edgar M. Lyons. — IN CHANCERY

Upon application of the Complainant stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, and that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the Court doth on this 8th day of May, 1916, grant the following order of publication.

The object of this suit is to obtain a degree for an absolute divorce for the Complainant, Annie M. Lyons, from the defendant, Edgar M. Lyons on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without cause or excuse, for a period of more than three years prior to the institution of this suit.

An affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Edgar M. Lyons is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he appear in the Clerk's Office of the said Court within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

That a copy of this order of publication be inserted once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

That a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered.

And that a copy of this order of publication be mailed, by the Clerk of this court, addressed to the said non-resident defendant at No. 3108 Westmount Street, Philadelphia, Pa., his last known place of abode.

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VIRGINIA NEWS

William Jennings Bryan will visit Bristol May 25, and deliver an address upon the European war and its effects upon America and the world as a whole.

The late George Cameron, of Mt. Erin Towers, Petersburg, U. S. A., whose will has just been probated in London, left property in Great Britain valued at $1,622,070.

Ruben Wyatt, died near Hilton Scott county, Sunday at the age of 108 years. Court records show that his first marriage occured 92 years ago, when he was 16. His entire life was spent in Scott county.

James, little son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Tyree Dillard, who was injured ten days ago by a swing on one of the public play grounds of Lynchburg died on Sunday. The child sustained a fractured skull.

The annual convention of the Virginia Public Health Association opened last night at Newport News, with fifty delegates in attendance They were welcomed to the city by Mayor B. B. Semmes, John I. Viney, president of the Chamber of Commerce, who was to have made the welcoming address, was unable to be present.

The Curtis flying boat H-10 left Baltimore with five pasengers at 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning to return to Newport News, The airboat made the distance of 173 miles in 2 hours and 11 minutes, and at times attained the speed of 106 miles an hour. From Newport News it left immediately for Washington. The trip to Baltimore from Newport News was made in three hours and three minutes on Saturday. The highest altitude attained on the trip to Baltimore was 2,100 feet.

Begining yesterday morning Harrisonburg became a city instead of a town. Judge T. N. Haas signed the court orders Saturday night. A recent special census showed that Harrisonburg had a population of 5,280 or 280 more than the law requires of a city of the second-class. No separate court will be formed and the present officials will continue to serve It is claimed that under the city form of government Harrisonburg will save about $6,000 a year, which will help make up the loss of saloon licenses when the Statewide Prohibition law puts the five saloons out of business on November 1.

Following an exhaustive and prolonged appeal from clergymen and laymen, representatives of civic associations and women who are, in one form or another, identified with the social life of Richmond, the Council Ordinance Committee last night disposed effectually of the ordinance which would make the Superintendent of Schools censor of motion pictures by not taking it up, and tabled, for consideration at is next meeting a proposed ordinance which would provide for the appointment of three residents of Richmond as a censorship board, the power of appointment of members of this board to be vested in the judge of the Hustings Court.

STORM DAMAGING AND FATAL

Violent Winds Cause One Death and Wrecked Structures.

Minneapolis, May 9.— A violent wind-storm, which swept Minnesota and parts of North Dakota, and western Wisconsin, Sunday night, caused considerable property damage, according to reports today.

At Two Harbors, Minn., a man was killed by lightning. At Crookston, Minn., a tabernacle was unroofed during services, but no person was hurt. The roof of the grandstand at a La Crosse, Wis., baseball park was lifted by the wind and dropped on a street car, slightly injuring several passengers. Wire communication was interrupted throughout the Northwest.

WHOOPING COUGH

One of the most successful preparations in use for this disease is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, S. W. McClinton, Blandon Springs, Ala., writes "Our baby had whooping cough as bad as most any baby could have it. I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it soon got him well." Obtainable everywhere.

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Present, Hon Louis C. Barley, Judge.

Ella L. Dante,
vs. IN CHANCERY
William H. Dante.

Upon application of the complainant stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, and that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Virginia, the Court doth on this 8th day of May, 1916, grant the following Order of Publication.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree for an absolute divorce for the complainant, Ella L. Dante, from the defendant, William H. Dante, on the ground of willful desertion and abandonment, without cause or excuse, for a period of more than three years prior to the institution of this suit.

An affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, William H. Dante, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear in the Clerk's Office of the said Court within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

That a copy of this Order of Publication be inserted once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia.

That a copy be posted at the front door of the Courthouse on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered.

And that a copy of this Order of Publication be mailed by registered mail, by the Clerk of this Court, addressed to the said non-resident defendant at No. 210, 9th street, S. E. Washington, D. C., his last known place of abode.

A Copy Teste.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk
Samuel P. Fisher, P. Q.

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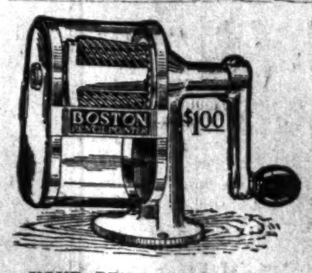

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Commissioner's Sale of Valuable Real Estate

Pursuant to a decree rendered at the September Term, 1915, of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia in the suit therein pending of Rachel A. Derrick etc, against Susie West etc, the undersigned Commissioners of Sale will on SATURDAY, the 20, day of MAY, 1916 at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Market Building, on Royal Street, Alexandria City, Virginia, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, that certain lot or parcel of land, which was conveyed to Jacob Derrick by William H. Gooding and wife by a deed dated December 10th, 1833 and recorded in Liber B. No. 3, page 119 of the deed books of Fairfax County, Virginia, and in said deed described as lying and being in the county of Fairfax, near Spring Garden and adjoining the line of the District of Columbia, containing 94 9-10 poles, and being lot No. 2, in the plat and division made between the daughters of Beal Howard by Robert Fatcliffe, now the city and being in the square bounded by Payne, Fayette, Gibbon and Wilkes Streets extended.

Terms of Sale. One third cash, and the balance in two equal payments at six and twelve months, the deferred payments to be evidenced by the purchaser's interest bearing notes and title to be retained until the said notes have been paid in full.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. RUST,
Commissioners of Sale.

I, F. W. Richardson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia, do hereby certify that John W. Rust, acting Commissioner of Sale in the said suit has given the bond required in the said suit, with approved surety, conditioned as the law directs.

Given under my hand this the 22, day of October, 1915.

F. W. RICHARDSON,
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, Va.

SAMUEL H LUNT Auctioneer

By virtue of a deed of trust made by H. H. Waring, bearing date on the 8th day of March, 1899, and duly of record in the Land Records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No 43, page 412, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the note secured in the said deed of trust, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction, on TUESDAY, the 23rd of MAY, 1916 at twelve o'clock M. in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building in the said city of Alexandria, all that lot of ground, with the improvements thereon, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the west side of Columbus Street 40 feet south of Wilkes Street, and running thence west, parallel to Wilkes Street, 117 feet 6 inches to an alley 11 feet 10 inches; thence south on said alley 20 feet; thence east, parallel to Wilkes Street, 117 feet 6inches to Columbus Street; and thence north on Columbus Street 20 feet to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

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Trustee's Sale of Two-Story Frame Dwelling 930 N. Columbus St.

By virtue of a deed of trust recorded in Deed Book 64, page 222 of the Land Records of Alexandria City, Virginia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, default having been made in the payment of interest and taxes, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale at public auction on SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1916 at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the City Hall Building all that lot of ground and improvements thereon in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, bounded as follows, to wit: All that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon, and the appurtenances thereon belonging, and situated on the west side of North Columbus street, between Montgomery and First streets, in the City of Alexandria, State of Virginia, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:—Beginning at a point on the west side of Columbus Street sixty (60) feet south of the first street North of Montgomery Street; and running hence south on Columbus street fifteen (15) feet; thence west parallel with Montgomery street one hundred (100) feet; thence North parallel with Columbus street fifteen (15) feet and thence east in a direct line to the beginning. Terms of Sale Cash. A deposit of $25.00 will be required at the time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps and notarial fees at the cost of purchaser.

Terms to be complied with within fifteen days from day of sale; otherwise, trustee reserves right to resell property at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser after five days advertisement in Alexandria Gazette.

LEO P. HARLOW, Trustee.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer

By virtue of a deed of trust made by John T. Nalls and wife, bearing date on the 6th day of March, 1912, and duly of record in the Land Records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No 61, page 554, to the undersigned Trustee of The German Co-Operative Building Association No. 5 of Alexandria Virginia, and by the order of the Board of Directors thereof, default having been made in the payment of the amount secured by the said deed of trust, the said Trustees will offer for sale on SATURDAY, the 20th day of MAY, 1916, at twelve o'clock M., in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building in the said City of Alexandria, all those two lots of ground, with the improvements thereon, in the said City of Alexandria, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

First: Beginning on the south side of King Street 19 feet 1 inch east of Alfred Street, and at the east line of Gibson, and running thence east on King Street 15 feet 10 inches; thence south, parallel to Alfred Street, 37 feet 5 inches; thence west parallel to King Street, 15 feet 10 inches to Gibson's line; and thence north, in a direct line, 37 feet 5 inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances, and with the right to use the partition wall between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the east.

Second: Beginning on the south side of Prince Street 96 feet 5 inches east of Henry Street, and running thence south parallel to Henry Street, 88 feet to an alley 16 feet wide; thence west on said alley 24 feet; thence north, in a direct line, 88 feet to Prince Street; and thence east on Prince Street 24 feet to the beginning with the right of way over the said alley and all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale; Cash. Cost of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
P. M. BRADSHAW,
Trustees.

By SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer

TRUSTEE'S SALE

The undersigned trustee in a deed from E. S. Leadbeater and Sons, Inc., of record in deed book No. 64, page 1, land record of the City of Alexandria, Va., under an order entered in the proceedings against the said E. S. Leadbeater and Sons, Inc. bankrupt, at the request of the creditor, default having been made in the payment of one of the notes, secured, will at 12 noon on SATURDAY MAY 20th, 1916, offer for sale in front of the Market Building, Royal street, Alexandria, Va., the following property: All that lot of ground and improvements thereon in Alexandria, Va., situated on the east side of Lee street, between King and Prince streets, described as follows: Beginning on the east side of Lee street at the south side of an alley, 136 feet south of King street, running thence east with the said south line of said alley 150 feet, thence, south parallel to Lee street 40 feet, thence east parallel to King street, 90 feet more or less, thence south parallel to Lee street, 38 feet 1 3-4 in., more or less, to north line of Wales Alley, thence west with north line of said alley 240 feet more or less to Lee street, thence north on Lee street 78 feet 1 3-4 inches, more or less to the point of beginning with the use of said alley and appurtenances. There are besides other buildings, two large fire proof warehouses on theproperty built according to the laws and specifications of insurance companies.

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40; 4 00; 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00; 6 40; 7 00, 7 20, 7 35, 8 00; 8 20; 9 00; 9 50; 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.

Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10; 7 30; 7 50 and 8 10 A. M. and 11 55 P. M.

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By order of the Board of Directors
GEO. UHLER,
Sec. and Treas.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC.

Alexandria, Va., May 8th. 1916. On and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Loula Hohenstein.

8-3t. ROBERT HOHENSTEIN

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of A. S. Gillingham, deceased, notice is hereby given to all parties owing, to settle with the undersigned. All having claims against said estate, to present same duly authenticated for settlement.

BERTHA H. GILLINGHAM
Administratrix